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BILLS, BILLS, BILLS

The following are some of the bills introduced in the legislature on Friday but not before publication:

SENATE.

To authorize the Board of Supervisors of any county to establish cartways, tramways and railways under certain conditions; requiring the commission ar-

resting the insanity of a nonresident to give certain information to the State Board of Charities and Corrections; respecting the reciprocal transfer of insane persons confined in this and other states whose legal residence is in some other State other than that of their confinement; to authorize counties, cities and towns of the commonwealth to levy on additional capitation tax; to provide for the settlement of that portion of the public debt of Virginia embraced in the pledge of the faith of the state for the redemption of the principal sum of money appearing due by certain bonds of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company; to provide a method for the better assessment of personal property under the control of fiduciaries and the several courts of the commonwealth also; to require the state treasurer to charge off the books of his office at the end of each fiscal year all checks drawn by him on state depositories which have not been presented for payment within five years from the date of their issue; to amend several sections of an act to provide for the consolidation or annexation of cities and to ratify and confirm notices already given which conform to the requirement of this act; making it a misdemeanor for any common carrier operating a railway to run its railway across another railway's tracks at any grade crossing without first coming to a full stop and ascertaining whether the tracks are clear, and to provide a table waiting rooms etc.; to make it a misdemeanor for common carriers to refuse to accept for passage on all of their passenger trains mileage coupons or tickets sold by them, or other common carriers for passengers travel good within this state for exchange for tickets in lieu thereof, and to declare all contracts, conditions and restrictions printed on said tickets exacted by such common carrier and required to be signed by the purchaser of such mileage book or ticket, as a condition precedent to its sale to be void; to provide for the continuance of the commission to devise a stable method for the maintenance, management and expansion of the educational institutions of the state.

HOUSE.

To amend section 1258 of the code in relation to enclosing roadbeds with fences, cattle guards, etc.; to permit the erection of gates across the public roads in certain cases; to authorize the board of supervisors of any county to establish cartways, tramways and railways under certain conditions; to amend section 1318 A, clause 59, of an act concerning public service corporations; to prohibit the establishment of tollgates on public roads, which have been constructed in whole or in part under the provision of the act of February 25, 1908; to amend section 1413 of the code relating to condemnation of land for cemeteries; to validate acknowledgments taken before certain officers; to amend section 2219 of the code in regard to how a minister is authorized to celebrate the rites of marriage; to amend chapter 380, act of assembly, session 1895-6, to constitute capitation tax a lien upon real estate owned by the person at the time such capitation tax is assessed; to provide help for destitute persons bitten by mad dogs, etc.; bill to authorize the councils of cities and towns and the supervisors of counties in which no license to sell ardent spirits is granted to prevent the bringing into said cities, towns and counties any intoxicating liquors and etc.; in relation to discharge and retirement of commissioned officers of the Virginia volunteers; to protect the people of the state from deleterious foods and from the dangers arising from the consumption of foods which may be deleterious taken from cold storage, and to prevent the storage of food products for the purpose of increasing the cost thereof to the consumers of the state; to punish as a misdemeanor the leaving burning sawdust, etc., after the removal of the mill or other establishment; to provide for legal records of all deaths in Virginia; to prevent coercion of employees in trading at certain stores or boarding houses, etc.; to require proprietors and employees of barber shops to comply with such sanitary regulations as may be promulgated by the state board of health; in relation to the employment of labor, making age not a ground for discharge.

NO STATE WIDE.

As stated in the Gazette of this day state wide prohibition received an unexpected blow yesterday when the committee on privileges and elections of the House of Delegates, by nearly a unanimous vote, determined to report the Meyers prohibition bill with the recommendation that it be not passed. The measure goes to the calendar with this black eye as a result of the first round. The decision to report the House bill unfavorably was reached in executive session after short debate. The patron had been expected to offer



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